

**In the Claims**

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please amend claim 104 as indicated below.

Please cancel claim 116 without prejudice or disclaimer.

1-103. (canceled)

104. (currently amended) A method for treating a subject having a tumor, comprising: administering to a vertebrate subject having a tumor a tumor-specific antigen and an oligonucleotide 10-50 nucleotides long comprising a sequence chosen from GGGGG, GAGGG, GGGAG, GTGGG, and GGGTG, wherein the oligonucleotide does not comprise a CG dinucleotide, in order to treat the subject.

105. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the oligonucleotide is DNA.

106. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the oligonucleotide is RNA.

107. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein at least one nucleotide of the oligonucleotide is replaced by a corresponding nucleotide analog or derivative.

108. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein at least one nucleotide of the sequence is replaced by a corresponding nucleotide analog or derivative.

109. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein at least two nucleotides of the oligonucleotide are linked by a nuclease-resistant bond.

110. (previously presented) The method of claim 109, wherein the nuclease-resistant bond is selected from the group consisting of phosphorothioate, methylphosphonate, and peptide bonds.

111. (canceled)

112. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the oligonucleotide is 13-30 nucleotides long.

113. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the oligonucleotide is 17-21 nucleotides long.

114. (previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the sequence represents the 3' terminus of the oligonucleotide.

115-171. (canceled)